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OR91-156

Dear Mr. Atkins:

You ask whether certain information is subject to required public disclosure under the Texas Open Records Act, article 6252-17a, V.T.C.S. Your request was assigned ID# 11962.

The Ector County Independent School District has received a request for the "1989-90 box of student records, including the student discipline referral forms and the computerized listing of student discipline referrals." Institutions covered by the Buckley Amendment, 20 U.S.C. § 1232g, may not release such records except in accordance with the terms of the Buckley Amendment.

You should direct inquiries about the application of the Buckley Amendment to the:

Family Policy & Regulations Office Department of Education 400 Maryland Ave., S.W. Washington, D.C. 20202

If you have questions about this ruling, please refer to OR91-156.

Yours very truly,

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